# CRUSADER

**Newsletter for the Kickstart the Knight Project • July-Sept. 2004**

## Conversion Day Edition

KtK is celebrating Lucien Lacroix's Conversion Day this year with the Conversion Day Fiction Challenge and another fabulous auction!

**IT'S AUCTION TIME!**. The Conversion Day Auction runs from Tuesday, August 4 through Tuesday, August 11.

**IT'S FICTION TIME!** We are taking entries to the Conversion Day Fiction Challenge. Visit the Fiction Challenge page for details.

**IT'S CAPTION TIME!** Here's a new feature—create a clever caption for a Forever Knight screen capture!

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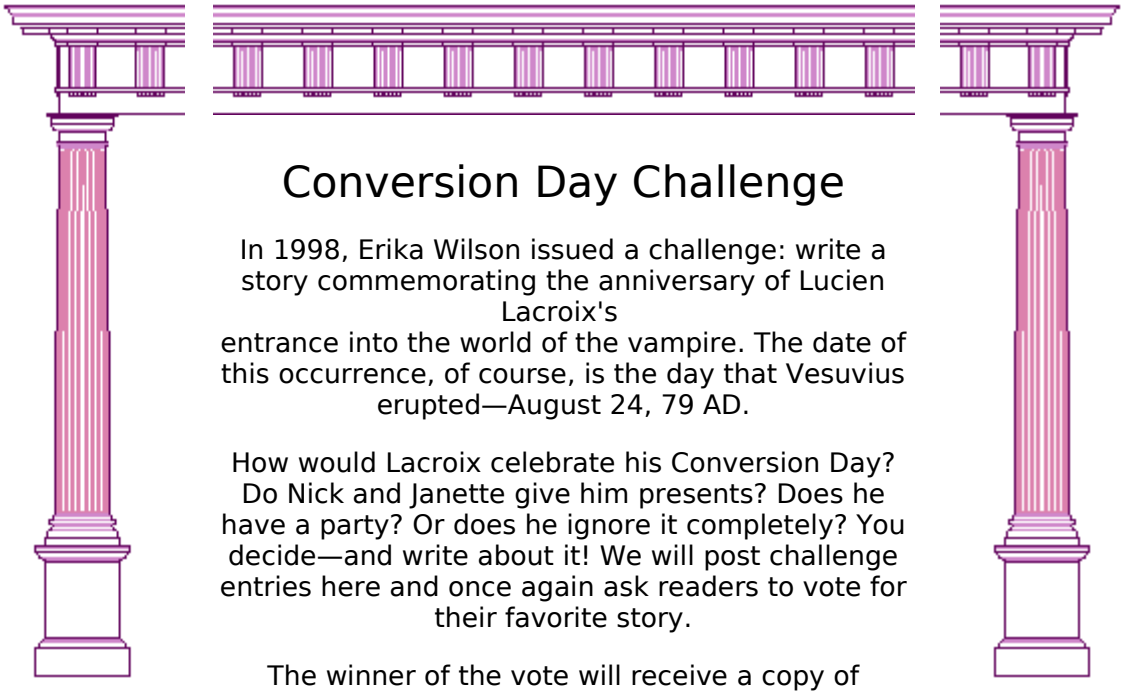


# Conversion Day Challenge

In 1998, Erika Wilson issued a challenge: write a story commemorating the anniversary of Lucien Lacroix's
entrance into the world of the vampire. The date of this occurrence, of course, is the day that Vesuvius erupted—August 24, 79 AD.

How would Lacroix celebrate his Conversion Day? Do Nick and Janette give him presents? Does he have a party? Or does he ignore it completely? You decide—and write about it! We will post challenge entries here and once again ask readers to vote for their favorite story.

The winner of the vote will receive a copy of "Pompeii" by Robert Harris—an exciting tale of the last three days before Vesuvius exploded. This novel has got it all: intrigue, dirty politics, romance, murder, and yes, civil engineering!

The deadline for entries into the challenge is August 4. Voting will take place until August 20, and the winner will be announced on August 24, the 1,924th anniversary of Lacroix's Conversion Day.

## How To Submit Entries

Send your story, in plain text format as an attachment
to Nancy Kaminski. Please be sure to indicate if your
story contains adult situations.

# Fanfic Challenge Entries



## Conversion Day Challenge Fiction Entries

Here are the bravely-submitted entries!

- "Laugh Lines" by Allison
- "To Be Remembered" by Karen B.
- "Fire on the Mountain" by Amanda Berendt
- "His Day's Rest" by Ell Hase
- "Remembrance" by Cheryl Pillsbury
- "Magnum Opus" by Tamara Schmeisser

Don't forget to send the authors your comments! Feedback is the lifeblood of a fanfic writer, and your thoughts are always appreciated.

## Conversion Day Challenge Voting Form

Read all the entries in the Challenge and then vote for your favorite using this form.
One vote per reader, please!

**Your Name**

**Your Email**

**Your Choice** Select your favorite fic! Fire On the Mountain His Day's Rest Laugh Lines Magnum Opus Remembrance To Be Remembered

# Auction Items

**Bids as of 10 am CDT Saturday, August 7**

**(amounts will be updated at noon and midnight each day, and sometimes more often as time permits)**

**PACKAGE 1**

Set of four FK fanzines:·

- Knightbeat IV (92 pages, 16 stories)·
- Conquistador (77 pages, 9 Vachon-oriented stories)·
- Four Seasons with Lacroix

(87 pages, 1 novel)·

- A Price Greater Than Life (42 pages, novella by Susan M. Garrett)

**CURRENT BID: $50**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 2**

GWD's Highlander trading card, in a protective plastic sleeve. Comes with a Highlander t-shirt with the same image as the trading card, size M.

**CURRENT BID: $**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 3**

"Running with the Crew" t-shirt, size XL. Features Vachon, Screed, and Urs. Includes a fan-made "Ratsie Wot Kilt Screed" created specially for this auction.

**CURRENT BID: $**

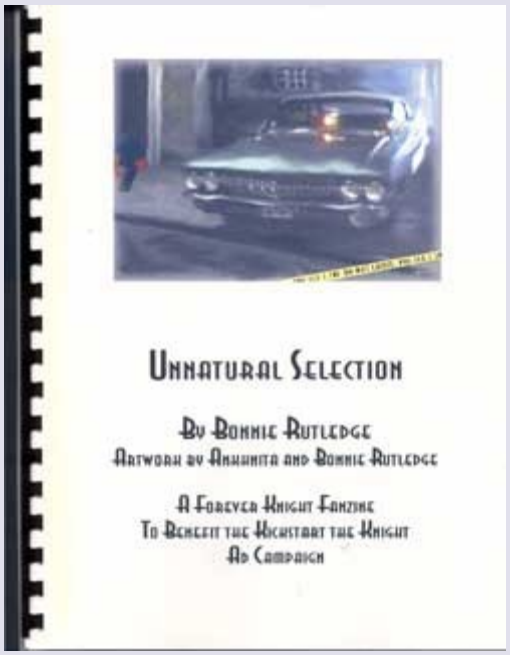
Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 4**

"Carpe Noctem" t-shirt, size XL. Includes the Toronto Sun TV magazine that features an interview with Nigel Bennett as the cover story.

**CURRENT BID: $5**

Make a bid!

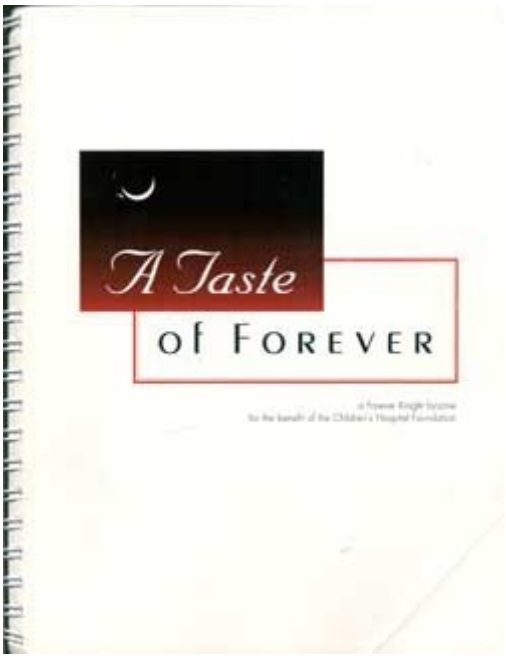


**PACKAGE 5**

"Unnatural Selection" fanzine by Bonnie Rutledge. Includes a Nick t-shirt, size L.

**CURRENT BID: $32**

Make a bid!

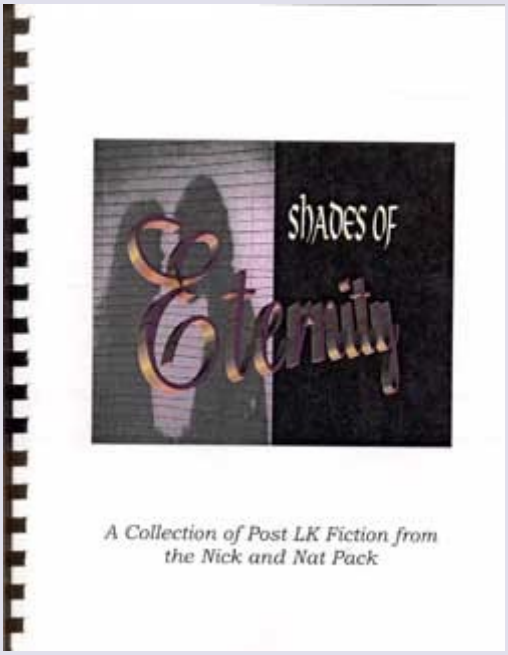



**PACKAGE 6**

"A Taste of Forever" fanzine. 324 pages, 28 stories by 18 writers.

**CURRENT BID: $200**

Make a bid!




**PACKAGE 7**

"Shades of Eternity" fanzine. A collection of post-LK fiction from the Nick and Nat Pack. Includes a Nick and Nat t-shirt, size M.

**CURRENT BID: $100**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 8**

A must-have for fans of Battlestar Galactica! Four VHS pro copies (one still factory-sealed) of BS episodes:

- Murder on the Rising Star·
- The Long Patrol·
- The Magnificent Warriors·
- Fire in Space

Includes a Battlestar Galactica t-shirt.

**CURRENT BID: $25 (tie)**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 9**

Collection of 13 Roswell High paperbacks-a real find for any fan of the series! Includes "Meet the Stars of Roswell" and "Roswell Pop Quiz."

**CURRENT BID: $**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 10**

Ger sings and dances and wears a short tunic! "The Boys from Syracuse," filmed on stage at the Festival Theatre in Stratford, is vintage Ger. Every FK fan needs to see this DVD!

(NOTE: This image is just a play poster, and is not on the auction DVD!)

**CURRENT BID: $50**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 11**

Specially made for our auction—a 2-DVD set of Ger's TV interviews and appearances. Also features interviews with Natsuko Ohama, Catherine Disher, John Kapelos, Ben Bass, and Nigel Bennett. A must-have for any FK fan!

**CURRENT BID: $75**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 12**

Australian oilskin duster, just like the one Nick work in the first season. Size XL, it's really a gorgeous coat. Stay dry, warm, and indulge your inner sense of the dramaitc by swirling this coat just like Nick did!

**CURRENT BID: $75**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 13**

Schanke tote bag. It's just the thing to carry over your shoulder on your way to the Tim Horton's Donut Shop!

**CURRENT BID: $10**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 14**

Janette tote bag. Make the total fashion statement with this exclusive little number. Comes with bottles of "Eternity" and "Paris Night" fragrant oils.

**CURRENT BID: $**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 15**

Dark Trinity t-shirt, size XL: Nick, Lacroix, and Janette.

**CURRENT BID: $12.28**

Make a bid!

**PACKAGE 16**

Ultra special! Get the Baby, Baby dailies PLUS the Third Season blooper reel (never before generally available!) on DVD!

**CURRENT BID: $140**

Make a bid

Due to bidder problems with a previous auction, we now require a **verifiable email and mailing address** for all bidders before your bid is accepted. Please provide us with your mailing address the **first time you enter a bid**. Any bids you make after that require only your name and email address.

We will send a confirmation email to the email address you give us the first time you bid, and will check the mailing address using one of the online mapping websites to verify that it is genuine. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you, but unfortunately it's necessary to keep our charity auction trouble-free.

**Your name (Please enter your real name, not a screen name)**

**Your email address**

**Item you are bidding on**

| Select item number | | |
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| Package 13 | Package 14 | Package 15 |

Package 16

**Your bid**

**REQUIRED WITH YOUR FIRST BID ON THIS AUCTION**—please enter your street address the FIRST TIME you bid. You don't have to provide this information on any subsequent bids for this auction.

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**ZIP/postal code**

**Country**

# The Crusader Caption Contest

Doesn't this screen capture just cry out for a clever caption? What were General Lucius, Seline, and that annoying senator *really* saying in that room in Seline's House of Whoopee in Pompeii?

Now's your chance to tell us what you think! Submit your caption and we'll let our readers decide which one best captures the spirit of that historic moment.

**Read the entries!**

**Contest runs from August 4 through August 11, 2004**
**FABULOUS PRIZE FOR BEST CAPTION**

# Caption Contest Entries

Here are the caption entries, in no particular order. After the submission period is over, you'll have the chance to vote for your favorite caption.

1. The old world falls. A new world rises... A voice, echoing above the fire and flame... "WHO'S YOUR DADDY!!!" LaCroix. Risen from the ashes. Master of a new age.

2. Fascinating, For I am now immortal among the Gods. They should be truly honored.

3. Even though you can't be as handsome as me senator, I've got good news, I've just saved a bunch of money on my chariot insurance!

4. This will come in handy when I've been turned--I won't need a mirror!

5. I wonder if everyone is thinking the same thing as me: Who was this ugly person that posed for this stupid bust?

6. And right here, Senator, is where we're gonna put the beer tap!

7. Senator: It is the most perfect face ever carved.
LC: Yes it is. As am I. Wouldn't you agree Seline?
Seline: Your face and other parts of you as well my General.

8. Aren't I the most handsome thing you've ever seen?

9. That face! Doesn't it just make you want to kneel and grovel?

10. "I'm too sexy for my bust! Too sexy for my bust! Yeah!"

11. Yes, the prototype is nice, but the next model will have long flowing hair and large breasts.

12. Yes Senator, I believe all of Pompeii should have their likeness cast in stone.

13. Yes, Senator, we use Zeus (tm) brand bust polish! Look, it's so shiny I can see myself!

14. May I have this dance?

15. In a moment of foreshadowing, General Lucius caresses the smooth, white, cold marble of his likeness and muses on the majesty of the figure.

16. Allow me to demonstrate. If you push right here, a paper blowout noisemaker comes out of his mouth.

17. "No, Lucius, the sculptor did NOT give you 'man-tits.' Now stop obsessing."

18. All right, who was the wise guy who carved in a third nipple?

19. "No, Lucius, you don't have to touch it. Just clap twice to make the nose light turn on and off---it's the latest from Popeilius---they call it the 'Clapper'!"

20. A life-sized sculpture of me in ICE CREAM? Really, you shouldn't have -- quick, get the scoop and bowls! And the Hershey's! And nuts! And whipped cream! Yum!

21. So, do you really think this soap-carving idea will really take off?

# The Life and Death of Pompeii

**Early Days**

Pompeii was not a remarkable city. But it has become better known than many of the wealthier Roman towns because its ruins were so well preserved. Pompeii lay on a plateau of ancient lava near the Bay of Naples, less than 1 mile (1.6 kilometers) from the foot of Mount Vesuvius.

Scholars have not been able to identify Pompeii's original inhabitants. In the 500's B.C., the area came under the influence of Greek colonies along the coast. A mountain people called the Samnites occupied Pompeii in the 400's B.C. Pompeii remained a relatively unimportant village until the 200's B.C., when the town entered a prosperous period of building and expansion. Pompeii became a Roman community in 91 B.C.

Pompeii was built in the form of an oval about 2 miles (3 kilometers) around. A great wall with seven gates surrounded the city. The streets crossed each other at right angles, and were paved with blocks of lava. Ancient wheel ruts may still be seen in the pavements. In the center of the city was the open square, or forum. It was surrounded by a group of important buildings. The city had a theater, an amphitheater, a gladiators' court, many temples, and three large public baths.

The fair blue skies of Pompeii attracted many wealthy Romans. They built great villas (homes) near the Mediterranean shore, where they could enjoy the mild, sunny climate. The Pompeians built their villas with all the conveniences of a town in country surroundings. The large dwellings often consisted of two parts, the master's house and gardens, and the farmer's house with stables, barns, orchards, and fields. Most dwellings were built along the lines of a typical Roman house, with rooms grouped around the atrium (reception room). Town houses in Pompeii often had shops bordering the street. Archaeologists believe that most buildings had more than one story. The upper parts of the buildings may have been constructed partly of wood. They projected out over the street, like French and English houses of the Middle Ages.

Pompeii carried on a prosperous trade in wine, oil, and breadstuffs. It was a market for the produce of a rich countryside, and its port had wide connections in the Mediterranean area. It was also an industrial center and produced such specialties as millstones, fish sauce, perfumes, and cloth. Inhabitants of Pompeii included wealthy landowners, prosperous merchants and manufacturers, shopkeepers, artisans, and slaves.

**The Eruption of Mount Vesuvius**

Earthquakes in A.D. 62 or 63 damaged Pompeii, Naples, and Herculaneum. Statues fell, columns were broken, and some buildings collapsed. Mount Vesuvius rumbled at this time. However, the people did not believe there would be more danger, and they repaired their cities.

In the summer of A.D. 79, Vesuvius erupted suddenly and with great violence. Streams of lava and mud poured into Herculaneum, and filled the town and its harbor. Hot ashes, stones, and cinders rained down on Pompeii. The darkened air was filled with poisonous gas and fumes. The Roman writer Pliny the Younger told in a letter how he led his mother to safety through the fumes and falling stones. His uncle, the writer Pliny the Elder, commanded a fleet that rescued some people. He landed to view the eruption and died on the shore.

The remains of about 2,000 victims out of a population of some 20,000 have been found in excavations at Pompeii. Some of the victims were trapped in their homes and killed by hot ashes. Others breathed the poisonous fumes and died as they fled. Archaeologists find the shells (molds) of the bodies preserved in the hardened ash. By carefully pouring plaster into the shells, they can make detailed copies of the individuals, even to the expressions of agony on their faces.

Rather than the lava, showers of hot, wet ashes and cinders sprayed Pompeii. When these ashes and cinders dried, they covered and sealed up much of the city. Only the tops of walls and columns emerged above the waste. Survivors dug out valuables they had left behind and even took statues, marbles, and bronzes. But later eruptions and erosion erased the last traces of the city.

The eruption of Vesuvius destroyed not only Pompeii but also the nearby cities of Stabiae and Herculaneum . It changed the entire geography of the Campania region around Pompeii. It turned the Sarno River back from its course and raised the sea beach so there was no way of locating Pompeii, which lay beneath the ash deposits for almost 1,700 years.

Since Pompeii was rediscovered in the 1700's, much has been learned about its history. Each year, excavations in the area around Pompeii bring forth additional bits of ancient art and architecture. Much also has been learned about the everyday life of the ancient Romans and their customs.

**Excavations**

The buried city was not completely forgotten. Peasants living in the area searched for hidden treasure. They did not excavate openly, but they tunneled into the deposits and reached houses. In the 1500's, workers digging an underground tunnel to change the course of the Sarno River discovered parts of the amphitheater, forum, and a temple. But no one paid much attention to these finds.

In 1748, a peasant was digging in a vineyard and struck a buried wall. His discovery came to the attention of authorities in Italy, and soon people began to carry on excavations in the region. At first, the diggers hoped to recover objects to enrich the museums of the kings of the Two Sicilies. For about 100 years, the search concentrated on important buildings, such as the forum, the amphitheater, the theater, and the larger houses.

After 1860, Giuseppe Fiorelli served as director of the excavations. He instituted the first systematic uncovering of the whole city block by block. In the early 1900's, archaeologists decided not to remove treasures from the city, but to keep them and to restore buildings as much as possible to their original condition. The Italian government has given money for this work.

**Remains**

About three-fourths of Pompeii has now been uncovered. Visitors may see buildings as they stood almost 2,000 years ago. They may walk in and out of houses and up and down narrow lanes, just as the Pompeians did. They may see the ruins of the ancient public square, with many of the surrounding buildings. They may see the old Temple of Jupiter, which was an ancient ruin at the time of the eruption. They may wander through the old Roman public halls, and admire the temples of Apollo and Fortuna Augusta.

Workers have uncovered a large part of the city wall. The disaster occurred during a local election campaign. Election slogans can still be seen on the walls of houses. Not many valuables have been found. Historians believe that the Pompeians carried many of their possessions with them as they fled from the city. Workers have found bracelets, earrings, gems, and coins. They have also discovered household statues of silver, bronze, and ivory, as well as utensils of metal and glass. Many domestic treasures came to light near Boscoreale, a town near Naples. A large number of Pompeian objects are on display in the National Archaeological Museum at Naples, about 13 miles (21 kilometers) from Pompeii.

# Build Yourself a Volcano!

Okay, it's the kitchen equivalent of a volcano, not a real one. It's cool all the same! It's also more or less non-toxic, which adds to its appeal.

Time Required: 30 minutes

**Here's How**

6 cups flour
2 cups salt
4 tablespoons cooking oil
warm water
plastic soda bottle
dishwashing detergent
food coloring
vinegar
baking dish or other pan
2 T baking soda

1. First make the 'cone' of the volcano. Mix 6 cups flour, 2 cups salt, 4 tablespoons cooking oil, and 2 cups of water. The resulting mixture should be smooth and firm (more water may be added if needed).

2. Stand the soda bottle in the baking pan and mold the dough around it into a volcano shape. Don't cover the hole or drop dough into it!

3. Fill the bottle most of the way full with warm water and a bit of red food color (can be done before sculpting if you don't take so long that the water gets cold).

4. Add 6 drops of detergent to the bottle contents.

5. Add 2 tablespoons baking soda to the liquid.

6. Slowly pour vinegar into the bottle. Watch out - eruption time!

7. Chemistry is Cool :-)

**Tips**

The cool red lava is the result of a chemical reaction between the baking soda and vinegar. In this reaction, carbon dioxide gas is produced, which is also present in real volcanos. As the carbon dioxide gas is produced, pressure builds up inside the plastic bottle, until the gas bubbles (thanks to the detergent) out of the 'volcano'. Adding a bit of yellow food coloring too will result in a lovely lava red-orange.

# Upcoming Events

Here is a listing of some of the upcoming events. If you know of something that should be listed here, contact **Jarvinia** and send her the details. We'll include it in the schedule.

| May | |
|---|---|
| 1–2 | Great Canadian Baycon<br>Hamilton, Ontario, Canada<br>Gaming con |
| 21–23 | Mobicon 7<br>Mobile, Alabama<br>Science fiction and fantasy con |
| 28–30 | MisCon 18<br>Missoula, Montana<br>Science fiction and fantasy con |
| 28–30 | Oasis 17<br>Orlando, Florida<br>Science fiction and fantasy con |
| 30 | Vancouver Comicon<br>Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada<br>Comics |
| **June** | |
| 11–13 | Roc*Kon 2004<br>North Little Rock, Arkansas<br>Science fiction and fantasy con |
| 11–13 | Sci-Fi Summer Con<br>Atlanta, Georgia<br>Science fiction and fantasy |
| 18–20 | Moonlight Rising<br>Bushkill, Pennsylvania<br>Buffy/Angel con |
| 24–27 | Origins 2004<br>Columbus, Ohio<br>Gaming con |
| **July** | |
| 9–11 | Campbell Conference<br>University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS<br>Science fiction con |
| 10–11 | Sci-Fi Expo |

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| | Richardson, TX<br>TV-media con |
| 16–18 | Florida Conquest Kissimmee<br>Kissimmee, FL<br>Gaming, LARP, computer gaming, anime |
| 30–Aug 1 | ShowMeCon 2004<br>St. Louis, MO<br>Science fiction and fantasy con |

## August

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| 6–8 | Gathering of the Gargoyles<br>Montreal, Quebec, Canada<br>Eighth annual Disney Gargoyles con |
| 20–23 | Discworld Convention 2004<br>Hinckley, Leicestershire, England<br>Science fiction con |
| 27–29 | Canadian National Comic Book/Science Fiction/Anime Expo<br>Toronto, Ontario, Canada<br>TV/media con |

## September

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|---|---|
| 2–6 | Noreascon Four<br>Boston, MA<br>The 62nd World Science Fiction Convention |
| 3–5 | CopperCon 24<br>Phoenix, AZ<br>Science fiction and fantasy con |
| 10–12 | The Chicagoland Entertainment Collectors Expo<br>Rosemont, IL<br>Star Wars, Star Trek, James Bond, science fiction & fantasy con |
| 30–Oct. 3 | Archon 28<br>Collinsville, IL<br>Gaming and science fiction con |

# Actor Updates

### Geraint Wyn Davies

- **Cyrano de Bergerac** at the Shakespeare Theatre, Washington, DC, June 8 to August 1, 2004. Ger plays the lead, taking over the role from Stacy Keach, who is still recovering from surgery.

### Nigel Bennett

- **Codename: Eternity** episode on the Sci-Fi Channel
- **Reversible Errors**, a miniseries with Tom Sellect based on the book by Scott Turow. Nigel plays Talmadge. Tentative airdate May 2004 on CBS.
- **Phantom Force**. Nigel reprises his role as Jack Bevaro, head of hte elite Interceptor Force.
- **North**. A pilot for a documentary series on Arctic exploration.
- **The Company Man**. Nigel plays Finster, the villain in this tale of computer espionage.
- **Post Impact**. Nigel plays Colonel Waters in this futuristic movie with Dean Cain.
- **Living in the Physical World**. In his first multimedia project, Nigel provides the voice of Albert Peritus in this educational CD-ROM.
- **Dark Realm: Emma's Boy**. This new Warner Brothers series has Nigel playing Patrick Lawless in an episode reminiscent of "Rosemary's Baby."
- **Siege Perilous**. The third and final installment of the Keeper of the King book series, with PN Elrod.

### Catherine Disher

- **Rolie Polie Olie: The Great Defender of Fun** (2002) The voice of Mom.
- **Coast to Coast** (2003) (TV) Paula Hobday.
- **Political Animals** (2003). Shannon Jennings, fresh out of university, finds herself immersed in the political backrooms of Ottawa in her new job as executive assistant to a federal Cabinet Minister.
- **Rolie Polie Olie: The Baby Bot Chase** (2003). The voice of Mom.

### Ben Bass

- **The Chris Isaak Show** (Ben)
- **The Family of Man** (2004)

- **Bliss—Three** (2003). In one of the steamiest, soft porn shows (aside from Queer as Folk) ever to be broadcast on network television comes Bliss. A steamy anthology series, focusing on the sexual desire of women. Written by women, produced by women, created by women, and directed by women.

**Lisa Ryder**

- **Andromeda.** Lisa Ryder stars as Beka Valentine, commander of the salvage ship Eureka Maru, and first officer of the Andromeda Ascendant.

# Classified Ads

If you have something FK- or fan-related you wish to buy, trade, or sell, send your classified ad to Susan Ellen Field. And if you have information about any new zines, let April Hackett know, and we'll get them listed here.

**For Sale**

- **Forever Knight, A Reference Guide,** by Gwenn Musicante, this 210-page book ($22 plus shipping) is a must-have for fans. Includes information about the actors, writers, directors, filming locations, and more that made up the magic that is FK. There are interviews with many of the cast and crew, and photos of filming locations. See a preview and place your order here.

- **Forever Knight Audio Fan Fiction**. Dragon's Lair Studios, fan-run since 1996, produces fan fiction audio cassettes, $10 a title, all proceeds benefiting charity. *Personal Servitude, Vengeance is Mine, On Holy Ground* (drama); *My Cups Runneth Over*, *Reality is a Lie*, *Fangs for the Memories*, *Darkest Knight, Brightest Light* (comedy) are currently available. **NOTE**: Audio tapes are for an adult audience! And for the Lacroix fans out there—check out the online broadcasts of *Whispers in the Dark* — where brand new CERK radio programs can be heard! To order, visit the Dragon's Lair Studios website or contact Victor Rosetti.

- **New from Dragon's Lair Studios!** *A Christmas Carol* as read by Lacroix, on CD. Vic Rosetti presents a Christmas favorite in the dulcet tones of our favorite master vampire, accompanied by music and special effects. A sample is available from Whispers in the Dark. To order, visit the Dragon's Lair Studios website or contact Victor Rosetti.

- **GWD Videos**. Is there a GWD video missing from your collection, and it's not being aired within one thousand miles of your VCR? Maybe I can help you! Send a self-addressed, stamped envelope for details to Valerie J. Bristor, 2334 Cypress

Bend Dr. #912, Pompano Beach FL 33069.

- **Forever Knight Soundtracks**. GNP Crescendo is now offering the two FK soundtracks as a boxed set for $19.98! Fred Mollin's music is a must for every FK fan.

- **Fanzines**. Secret Pleasures Press offers fanzines in many different fandoms, including Forever Knight, due South, Buffy, Dark Shaodws, MacGyver, and X-Files, just to name a few, and caters to many different tastes. They are also currently seeking submissions for a number of upcoming fanzines. Visit their website for more information.

- **Fanzines**. NorthCoast Press offers the new Man from UNCLE zine, *Sins of the Father*, the sequel to *The Father's Day Affair,* by Pat Dunn and Diana Smith. 82 pages, color cover (scrumptious IK drawing by Joni Warden), and comb-bound. $8. Priority postage in the US, $4, airmail to Europe, $8. To order, send a check or money order (made out to Lisa Madden) to: Lisa Madden, 145 Greenward Way S, North Olmsted OH 44070. Check the NorthCoast Press website for more zines, including these new Buffy titles: *Innocent Blood*, *Trick of the Dark*, *Heart of Darkness*, and *King of the Dark*.

- **Charity Fanzine**. Now offering *A Taste of Forever* in PDF format. This very successful zine earned $2500 for Children's Hospital on behalf of the Geraint Wyn Davies Fan Club, and has been out of print for several years. You can now enjoy fiction by some of the best writers in the fandom as well as illustrations by Dorothy Elggren. $10 plus $3.50 s/h for a CD containing the zine in Adobe Acrobat PDF format. Print out your own copy, or read it online! Contact Nancy Kaminski to order your copy.

- **Fanzines from Intertwined**, the Little Press on the Prairie, Nanci Casad, editor. See list below for zines available. **Postage per book**: US/$3; CAN/$4; UK, EUR/$7; AUS, NZ/$14. (Postage is cheaper when ordering two or more books together—rate based on weight.) **Payment**: Check, cash, or money order in US dollars (send cash at your own risk: use registered mail or conceal it well), or Paypal instant cash transfer (no credit/debit cards accepted). Paypal ID: intertwined@webtv.net. Send payment to Nanci Casad, PO Box 49, Savoy, IL 61874. Questions? Email intertwined@webtv.net or fkn@webtv.net.

  **Forever, and a Knight.** 151 pages. Rated PG. $17 plus postage. Short stories: "1966 Encore" by Sue Burke; six short stories by Candy Vogel; 1 novella, "A Vampire's Promise" by Candy Vogel and Cheryl Schneider; 14 vampire poems by MC Schisler; plus poetry by Sue Burke, Anita Stone, Pristine Aericko.

**Putting the Pieces Together** by Candy Vogel and Cheryl Schneider. 115 pages. Rated a strong PG-13. $14. Be careful what you wish for, and *how* you wish for it! Natalie wanted to be with Nick, no matter what—in life, in death, or even in darkness. Now she and Nick are together, as vampires. Can she cope with life on the dark side? Third season but it's mostly a Nick and Nat—and LaCroix!—story, with flashbacks to the 1800s, which include Janette.

**The Fire** by Donna Stripling. 106 pages, rated a strong-PG-13 for sexual content. $14. Someone is killing the vampires of Toronto, and too many innocent mortals are dying in the process. An exciting Third Season story with touches of humor and lots of romance.

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